(c) Have the Government ascertained as to who were the dead and injured, their names and addresses?

(*d*) Have the Government enquired into the condition of the families of the dead and injured?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.—

A.—32. (*a*) and (*b*) Yes. The matter is *sub judice.*

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) Under enquiry.

MR. M. ABDUL AZIZ (Tarikere Taluk).—

Q.—34. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) How many vacancies in Government service occurred during the last five years?

(*b*) How many of them were advertised?

(*c*) How many of them were filled by direct recruitment?

(*d*) How many applications from different communities were received for each vacancy?

(*e*) How were they disposed of?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, GENERAL DEPARTMENT.—

A.—34. (*a*) to (*c*)—

Year	Number of vacancies occurred	No. of vacancies advertised	No. of vacancies filled up by direct recruitment
1928—29	2,116	1,807	1,683
1929—30	2,254	1,787	1,624
1930—31	1,613	1,305	1,194
1931—32	1,489	1,083	1,040
1932—33	1,545	1,146	1,044

(*d*) It is not possible to furnish vacancywar information.

(*e*) All the applications from the qualified candidates were forwarded to the Unit Officers for selection.